## WANTED IT TO BE KEPT SECRET.

Gerhard H. J. Freeherr Von Carnop Bornheim Got a License to Wed Margatet Thomas.

WENT TO CLAYTON FOR IT.

She Remained at the Moser Hotel Last Night and He Stayed at the Home of a Friend on Chouteau Avenue.

Gerhard H. J. Freeherr Von Carnep Bornheim of St. Louis and Miss Margaret Thomas of Decatur, Ill., were licensed to wed at Clayton yesterday afternoon.

Before the license was issued the provpective bridegroom took a solemn outh that the name given was his correct cognomen And Mr. Bornheim, as he will hereafter be called for short, was very particular that the license be made out in his full rame, cautioning Mr. Wetzel, the clerk, to be careful not to omit any part of it.

In addition Mr. Hornheim was very naxions that his marriage be kept a secret. His parting injunction to Mr. Wetzel was: "Keep this from newspaper reporters, They must know nothing." He did not wait for a street car, but started to walk out of the town. When overtaken by a Republic reporter he said that while he destred to be courteous, he had determined not to say a word, as secrecy was of the utmost importunce with him.

"We have simply got a marriage license," he said. "We have not decided not do we know when we will be married."

Then Mr. Bornheim and his fiances boarded a car and came to St. Louis. In their apprehension of being shadowed, they trated and retraced their steps. They got toff at Seventh and Washington avenue, walked south to Locust, east to Sixth, bark to Seventh, east again to Broadway, north to St. Charles street, when they turned and walked south to Olive, west to Eighth, south to Fine, when they turned west and walked to the Moser Hotel, where Miss Thomas is domiciled in room No. 31. Then they started out again and took another two-mile walk over turious streets before returning to the hotel.

Once more the couple refused to talk. "You have found out this much," he said to the reporter, "but you cannot have anything more."

Mr. Bornheim stayed fit the Moser until "We have simply got a marriage license,"

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thing more."

Mr. Bornheim stayed at the Moser until he assin thought the coast was clear, when he hid his flancee good-night and went to the residence of R. B. Rapp, at No. 118 Chouteau nvetue, where he again was reticent when asked for a statement.

At the Rapp residence, one of the attaches of the household said that Mr. Bornheim went by the name of Gerhard Carnop and that he lived in Alton, although he had a room at the Imperial Hotel, in St. Louis.

Mr. Hornheim, or Carpop, is 52 years old. He is snave and refined in manner, and has a military hearing. He said that he was born in Canada. His fiances is about 35. She registered at the Moser Friday even-

At Alton it was said just night that there Ar Alton it was said last night that there had been resident in that place a min by the name of Gerhardt von Carnap, and that the description given of the person with the variety of names who jesterday took out a license to marry Miss Thomas, tallied with that of the Alton min. Previous to his residence at Alton it was said that you Carnap came from Germany, and that he was connected with a branch of the royal house there. You Carnap, when he lived in Alton, had a wife and four daughters. About eight months are You Carnap sold his property in Alton, of which he had considerable, and departed for Germany. He was supposed to be still in Burope. There he a Gerhart you Carnap in the St. Louis was supposed to be still in Europe There to a Gerhatt von Carmap in the St. Louis directory. His residence is given as No. 218

## PAN-AMERICAN CONGRESS.

Representatives of the Three Americas Form a Plan.

Washington, April 14.-The meeting of the diplomatic representatives of the three Americas at the Bureau of American Republics to-day resulted in the successful beunching, from an international standpoint, of the project for the reassembling of the Pan-American Congress. There were present the Mexican Ambassador, Senor Aspiroz; the Chilian Minister, Senor Vicana; the Bra-Ellian Minister, Senhor de Assis-Brasil; the Haytlen Minister, Mr. Leger; the Guate malan Minister, Senor Lazo Arringa; the Costa Rican Minister, Senor Calvo; the Ven-esuelan Charge, Senor Pulido; the Colombian Minister, Senor Calderon, and Mr. Stewart, the Consul General for Urnguay. Secretary Hay, the president ex-officio of Executive Committee of the Bureau of American Republics, who would naturally have presided, was not present, nor was Director Rockbill, of the bureau. There was purpose in their absence, it is assumed, for It is regarded as desirable that the representatives of these Southern Republics shall not be under the slightest appearance of infuence from the Washington Government in the pending matter.

The members of the conference spent fully

an hour and a haif in close consultation. Senor Calvo, the senior member of the Executive Committee of the Bureau, presided, and the outcome of the meeting was the ment of the members upon a proposition that the Executive Committee of the bureau should be charged with drawing up a tentative programme for the proposed international congress.

This programme will be submitted by the Ministers to their respective Governments for approval and amendment. In this manner will be avoided a mistake made by the State Department in arranging for the first Pan-American Congress. The United States Government itself in that case submitted to the various Governments invited to participate in the Congress a complete programme for the government of the body; nothing was left for the other nations to do but to accept the whole or decline to participate. Under the new order the United States effaces itself, leaving the other nations to decide upon the subjects to be considered by the congress.

## TO RESTORE THE FORESTS.

New Policy of the General Land Office.

Washington, April 14.-The Commissioner of the General Land Office has inaugurated a new policy in regard to forest reserves by instructing the superintendent at Los Angoles, Cal., to replant the portions of forest reserves within his jurisdiction which have been denuded of trees. Seeds of several va-rieties have been sent him, but he has been instructed to use only the sorts indigenous to the soil. The forest rangers will perform the work of replanting the deforested areas. If this experiment is successful the same plans will be pursued in other portions of

## HOUSTON STRIKE TRUCE.

Both Sides May Yield to Citizens' Request.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Houston, Tex., April M.—The prospects for a general strike of all labor unions has so exercised the citizens of Houston that a committee of citizens met committees from exercised the citizens of Houston that a committee of citizens met committees from the carpenters' and the contractors this afterneon and offered to mediate in an effort to avert the impending general strike.

A resolution asking that a truce be made until May I was passed by the citizens and the committee from the carpenters and the committee from the carpenters and the committee from the carpenters and the contractors agreed to recommend to their respective organizations that the resolution be adopted by each. If this is done it will at least postpone the general strike until after the session of the Transmississippi Congress, which meets here April 17.

Candidate for G. A. R. Commander. Champaign, Ill., April II.—Captain W. H. Coffman of this city has announced himself as a condidate for commander of Illinois Doportment, Grand Army of the Republic. He —Ministrandidate for the same office before —Ministrandidate for the same office before that at the recent



at Danis!

Which means phenomenal prices and value inducements in all departments for this, Easter week. Come and be convinced.

Don't Miss Our Great Sale of NOVELTY SILKS at HALF COST, the Surplus of I. B. Rosenthal, Sloan & Co. It Begins MONDAY, APRIL 16th.

The Great Sale

# Embroidery Dept.

Begins Monday Morning.

All-Over Material, made especially for Shirt Waists. 100 pleces East India Madres, made of full bleach yarns and fast colors, 15c 18-inch Novelty Gulbure Net, allover material, for shirt waists; \$1.00 value, Monday Special 68c per yard.

18-inch Novelty Gulpure Net, allower material, for shirt waists; \$1.35 value, Monday Special Se per yard.

21-looh-wide Guipure Allover Embroidery for shirt waists; 31.25 value, Mon- 75 pieces Momie Finish Avaion Drapery, tich as printed velvets, lie a yard. day Special The per yard.

21-inch-wide Cuspure Allover Embroideries for shirt waists; \$1.65 value, Monday Special 28c per yard. 21-inch-wide Allover Material, Val. inserting, with tucks, for shirt waists;

\$2.25 value, Monday Special \$1.48 per yard. 21-inch-wide Allover Material, Val. and Swiss inserting effect, for shirt waists; \$1.25 value, Monday Special \$2.23 per yard.

\$65 sample pieces of \$2-yard lengths Allover Material for yokes; regular 650 Dress Trimming in the city.

# Wash Fabrics.

Lent is over; the social season begins to-morrow, and ladies giving attention to summer textiles are cordially invited to Barr's to examine the most elegant, extensive and inexpensive collection in this country.

1,000 pieces genuine Abbottsford Seersucker, in the various blue and brown AT \$1.00 - Ludies' Laundered Shirt Waists, pretty patterns and colors, stripes, loc a yard.

2,000 pieces 26-inch Brown, Sen Island, Windsor and L. T. fine Cambries, in 1,000 pieces genuine Scotch Madrus and Zephyr Ginghams, lines, stripes, small, medium and large plaids, for javenile and adult dresses, 25c a yd, pieces Mercerized Madra: in marvelously beautiful combination of strips

and plaids, 35c to 50c per yard. 300 pieces, last lot of this year, finest Garman Linen Madras, resembles silk and washes perfectly, bec per yard.

1,000 pieces Barr's special printed Dimities, copied from finest embroidered The most complete stock in Cambric Namsock and Swiss Insertings for 30 pieces, the only decent stock in fown, of those extra desirable Mercerized

## New 1900 Shirt Waists.

Shirt Waist weather is what we expect from now on, and with the certain advance in the price of material we cannot premise you many more bargains like these. Spend an hour in this department and see the great variety of new styles.

made of fine percale, tucked French back, with patent skirt holder; regular value \$1.48.

Barr's exclusive styles for shirt waists, dresses and wrappers, 121/2c a yd. AT \$1.75-Ladies' Laundered Shirt Waists, the celebrated "Star" make, French percales in dainty colored stripes and figures, French back. with five box pleats, excellent value and exclusive siyles.

AT \$2.25-Ladies' Laundered Shirt Waists, fine white India linen. fronts of all-over embroidery and fine tucked French back, with the new dress sleeve; actual value \$2.75.

Babies' Goods.

AT \$2.85-Infants' Short Cloak, cream Bedford cord, deep ruffle coltar of embroidery and fancy braid; ages 1 and 2 years. AT \$1.75-Infants' Shirred White Mull Hat, "Tam O'Shanter" crown,

rivals.

Thread Hose, Zic.

plain: 50c pair.

summer weight, at-

and cascade of mull with lace edge, and hemstitched mull ties. Light Weight

## Right in the Beginning of the Season, \_\_\_\_ Barr's Great Cloak and Suit Department

Our prices as quoted are just half what they'd have had to make them.



Tailor-Made Suits. Materials are series, course, trends and blacks. Styles are spills to the course of the course lined coats and many are taffets silk lined through \$10.00 for \$5.00 for

\$12,00 Suits. have silk-lined coars and new box picat skirts; the skirts alone

\$20.00 Suits. ple suits in this lot, all warth double the sale price of \$10.00.

These are indeed bargains; every Many beautiful gray and 1,000 suits at this popu- new style material and color is Even fly front and tight fitting

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In suits in this lot, he would be inverted pleat skirts; hundreds to choose from. Think of it, only \$1.75 for a swell out skirt. The materials above are worth sale price of \$10.60.

coverts, Venetians and none-spins, all beautifully tailored, both skirts and jackets lined throughout with fine taffeta silk, mignificent high grades tailor-made suits, for only A Sale of Silk Waists. Also 2,000 Silk Waists at Haif Price. Brand new, clean, bright Waists, made of the news automobile, cerise, brawn, castins, in all the new shades of resona, old rose, purple, gray, royal, navy, automobile, cerise, brawn, castor, cardinal, lavender, yellow and the ever staple colors, black and white, beautifully corded, tucked, heastife led and lace trimmed, in three large lots: Lot 2-\$5.00 for \$8.00, \$9.00 \$12.00 Waists.

\$7.50 for \$15.00 Suits. \$15.00 for High-Class

Plain Taffeta Silk Walsts—

corded and tucked—all colors—all perfect fitting—

best of styles—1ined

This is, indeed, a magnificent lot of Walsts High-grade Walsts—fine new Persian satins beautifully tucked—very swell—also plain to the colors—all perfect fitting—

best of styles—1ined

This is, indeed, a magnificent lot of Walsts High-grade Walsts—fine new Persian satins beautifully tucked—very swell—also plain taffeta Silk Walsts with entire bodies covered with lace, making beautiful effect have had nothing to compare with them this season under type to the colors—all colors—perfect in every detail of style, fit and workmanship-only \$6.00.

#### under \$8.00 to \$10.00-all at one A Wrapper Sale. Another Fine Sample Line of Wash Wrappers for To-morrow's Sale. Beautiful, well-made are better than ordinary stock to be sold at very low prices: \$1.19 for \$2.00 Sample Wrappers. \$1.29 for \$2.25 Sample Wrappers. This Sult \$7.50.

Silk-Lined Suit ..

## Linings.

Go into any store in town to price linings and you will find an advance of fully 25 per cent on early season prices. Come into Barr's and buy and you will find us slashing them away at the same old

1600 pieces Woods, Slater & Edwards's 64x64 Kid Cambrics, all shades from white to black inclusive, 41c per yard,

508 pieces Soft Pinish 96x100 Bentled Percaline, in all staple shades, 10c per yard. 5.000 pieces, contract lot, all the newest Paris shades, in beautifully motred Sea

100 pieces lovely Mercerized Padded Percaline, soft as down, but firm as a rock, 250 per yard.

We are sole distributors for St. Louis of the genuine Nearalk, and show all the new colorings and fast black, The per yard. 166 pieces 36 and 40 inch Nubians, Fast

Black Sateons and Percalines for waist linings and petticoats, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c and 200 pieces French and Herringhone Hair Cloth just received, shrunk ready for use,

all widths, from 16 to 32 inches, in block and

See the All-Flax Linen Canvas we are selling at 15c per yard. We own about 1,000

## White Dress Goods.

Almost time for commencements and graduations. The pretty White Gowns, simple or elaborate, are so dainty in their purity that rejoices when the time comes to wear them. For Monday we offer these: A grand bargain in fancy all-over Tuck-

58c for \$1.60 Sample Wrappers, 88c for \$1.75 Sample Wrappers,

ing for Yokes and Shirt Waists, is 23 inches wide with nine clusters of fine sewed tucks and Leno lace effects-this bargain all-over fancy Tucking is worth \$1.00 a yard; and our special sale price while they last will be only, a vard, 55c.

Linen, only 124c. Just received 3 cases of Barr's special fine quality of soft English Long Cloth, in 12-yard bolts, at, a bolt, \$1.10.

Pure White Linen flidsh Duck Skirting reduced to 124c. See our grand quality of Imported Cord Pique, only lac.

600 bolts of 36-inch fine Sheer English Nainsook, a bolt of 12 yards, \$1.50. See our Navelty White Piques in Crepon and Hemstitched effects, just lovely for skirts, a yard 35c.

We will offer a grand Persian Lawn bargain this week in a fine Sheer, 30-cent qual-200 pieces of English Madras Waist Fab

ries comprise our second shipment of those Popular Novelties. See our 25c quality. 75 pieces of White and Cream Embroidered Silk Mulls at 50c.

White Shirt Waists will be all the rage and the best wearing and washing material for those dainty garments is a pure linen fabric, and the latest novelty in this line is our Pure Linen Cambric Dimity.

#### Millinery.



sources by any means. Newly arrived hats direct from Paris and the work of our own incomparable corps of artistic milliners will be ready tomorrow morn-

ing, when we shall be glad to see our

## Art Goods.

There's nothing like a bit of fanev work lying ready at hand. It's astonishing how much one accomplishes who does keep the work handy. This week we have some remarkably good items.

lows, in a variety of subjects; prices 60c and 65c each. Stamped and Tinted Table Covers in combination colors; price 75c each, Hemstitched Dresser Scarfs, in all-linen Bulgarian Linen Covers, embroidered in red and blue, one yard square; price \$2.75

## Linens.

With the reopening of the Social Season, an added supply of household Linen will not come amiss-especially when Barr's offer such values and prices as these: 500 dozen 18x35 Hemmed Towels, \$1.20 per

1,000 Pure Linen Momie Dresser Scarfs; 2.000 vards 2-yard Cream Damask: grand value; per dozen \$4.00. 20 dozen extra heavy and extra large Bath Towels 10c.

2,160 yards Pure Linen Kitchen and Roller Toweling; a yard 60c. 400 yards 73-inch wide unbleached Table Linen: each 30c. Barr's Leader Towels, Damask Huck Towels, 5 patterns; per dozen \$1.59 30 Hemstliched Sets, 21-x21, yards (just

The Best Shoe Made for Women

. . . Is . . . Barr's "Perfection" Shoe. Made for service, and still so beau-



half the import price), \$4.50

Dress Boots, patent leather vamps, kid ops, hand-turned soles, all sizes and Thirty-eight styles, all widths, AAA to E.

# Prices-15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, 31.

Ladies' Low Neck and Sleeveless White Lisle Thread Vests, in two styles of rib silk. tape in neck and arms, 25c each,

Knit Underwear.

Hosiery and Underwear

For Ladies and Children. New importations of seasonable

Hosiery and Underwear are being received daily. The prices quoted

below are taken from our latest ar-

Ladies' Drop-Stitch and Plain Black Lisie

Ladies' light and medium weight plain

black Cotton Hose, and black with ecry woven soles, 25c pair.

Ladies' light-weight drop-stitch Cotton Hose, in black, navy and new blue, with white extracted polks dots, 35c; three pairs

Fancy Lisie Thread Hosiery, including unique figures and stripes, polka dots and many novel designs in both drop-stitch and

Children's 1x1 ribbed black and assorted shades of tan Cotton Hose, a spring and

Bixes - 5, 514, 6, 614, 7, 714, R 818, 3,

Pure White Lisle Thread Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, and knee length, closed front, silk taped and crocheted edge, \$1.00. Ladies' Light-Weight Thread Combination

Suits, high neck, long sleeves, and ankle length, white and ecru, \$1.00 per suit. Children's White Lisle Thread Combin tion Suits in low neck, short sleeves and knee length, and high neck, long sleeves and ankle length, at-

Sizes..... 1 & 4 & 5 4 7. Infants' Ribbed White Gause Cotten Wrappers, high neck and long sleeves, silk tape in neck, and silk orecheted edge, 250

## Black Dress Goods.

We can't resist the temptation to tell you of these especially good things in a stock where all are so desirable that it is a trifle hard to make a choice. Maybe this will help you.

44-inch black all-silk plain and striped Grenadine, \$1.00. 42 and 44 inch black all-silk gros-grain striped Grenadine, \$1.25. 41-inch Black Wool Etamine, with effic stripe, crepon effect, \$1.75.

45-inch black silk and wool Crepe de Chine, in dots and small figures, \$2.25, 42-inch Black Mohair Granite Cloth, the new material, 75c. 44-inch Black Stik-Lustered Brilliantines,

worth fice, for 50c. 39-inch Black All-Wool French Tamese. We have full lines of solid black and black and white Dotted Swisses, Foulards, Mulls, Organdies, etc., etc., at old price

Buy now, before the advance.

Basement Bargains That Are Especially Interesting to Housekeepers Right Now. Busy times for housekeepers are here—there are a thousand little "helps" in refurnishing and renovating in this colossal section of Barr's great store—these especially

Examine Our Table Cutlery-For Monday We Offer Many Special Bargains.

Handsome Ivory, antique-handle Dinner Knives and Forks, set of 6 knives \$7.95 Celluloid-handle, medium Black rubber handle Knives and \$3.00 Forks, 6 knives and 6 forks; per set. \$3.00 Stag handle, medium size Knives and Forks, 6 knives and 6 forks; 21 50

Joseph Rodgers' Carving Knives and Forks, stag handle; 8-inch, per pair, \$1.85; 9-inch, per pair. Black rubber-handle Bread Carving Set, three pieces, knife, fork and steel, stag handle in silk-lined \$3.50 Game Carving Set, pearl handles, three pieces, knife, fork and \$6.99 Pearl-Handle Butter Knives.

Spring and Summer Goods.

Large size Web Hammock, close woven, is well made, has pillow and spreader; Sale price......

Fine 8-ball set Croquet, made of rock ma-ple wood, polished and striped, wood and striped, wood ockets included for wickets; Boys' Baseball Masks, made of heavy pol-ished wire, good quality; 68c The Atlantic Baseballs, horse-bide cover, King of the Field Baseball Bats, are 39c best in the market; Sale price..... The American Infielders' Glove, with double strength finger tips, good quality 59c leather; Sale price. Good quality Ash Bats, varnished and striped, all sizes: Sale price..... 25c Large size Goodrich red Rubber Balls, 49c

The Blue Hill Box Kites, medium These Bargains in Our Lamp Dept. The only store in St. Louis showing such 

best quality rubber: Sale price .....

Paris Crepe Tissue Paper, in various shades, guaranteed 10-foot rolls; Sc. special price, per roll..... Paris Decorated Crepe Tissue Paper, in all colors, 10-foot rolls; special 14c price, per roll..... Silk Candle Shades, in all colors: special price, each . Fancy Silk Candle Shades, in all colors and various designs; special 50c

price, each ..... Fancy Wax Candles, in 5-inch or 8-inch lengths, in all colors; special 5c sale price, each..... Genuine Welsbach Light, complete, 75c 4-inch fancy-stohed Gas Globes, vari- 25c Dark red or clear crystal Lamp Globes, etched in various designs; e1 (c) \$1.00 special price, each ..... Decorated China Lamp Shades, suitable for reading lamp; special price, 85c

each, 60g and ... All Our New Designs of Cut Glass With Special Reduced Prices . . . . Beautiful Columbia pattern cut \$1.89 Dorflinger out glass Decemer, \$2.50 Cut glass Tumblers, strawberry \$3.75

priced ones will go early to-morrow morning. Be on hand! Elegant cut-glass Celery Tray, sun- \$5.00 Beautiful cut-glass Nappy, meteor \$3.00 pattern; each ...... Cut-glass Punch or Custard Cups, strawerry and fan pattern; per Handsome cut-glass, 10-inch Bowl. \$6.95 Olympia pattern; each...... Neatly cut-glass Vinegar Cruets, Pristn cut-glass Tea Caddy, ster- \$2.50

Prism-pattern, cut-glass Spoon Tray, fancy shape; each...... Bargain Prices for Monday.

Steel enameled ware covered Berlin Sauce Fan, 5-quart size; FOR MONDAY 29c Fancy Japanned Ice Water Cooler. 89c 1,000 sheets pure tissue Toilet Paper Wire Hook; for Monday only, pkg... Rattan Furniture Beater; for Monday only ...... Бc Mrs. Potts's Nickel-Plated Irons, 3 in a set; for Monday only, per set... 89c Sapilo for cleaning and polishing; for Monday only, cake..... 6c 

Japanned-covered Dust Pan; for Monday only Planished Iron Loaf Bread Pan; for Monday only.....

You Will Appreciate These

Bargains in Glassware . . Blown Table Tumblers, engraved in 90c dainty floral designs, per dozen..... Beautiful imitation, cut-glass Water 55c Bottles in the "Prism" pattern, each, 55c 10-inch Flower Vases, in a brilliant 25c pattern of imitation cut glass, each... Rich and beautiful imitation cut-glass Celery Trays..... Fine finished, pressed Table Goblets, 60c Clear Crystal Table Tumblers, rich and beautiful stohed border; per dozen ...... Dainty imitation cut-glass Sherbet Cups, in the brilliant Priem pattern; 90c Beautiful imitation out-glass Jelly Stands; each..... Rich and beautiful imitation cut-

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